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At 1130 on 15 June 1954, seven Soviet minesweepers were sighted about seven sea miles south of Porkkala. They were all T-301-type vessels maneuvering independently without sweeping equipment. A sweeping equipment buoy was seen drifting. No distinguishing marks could be made out on the minesweepers, although the group was seen at a distance of two nautical miles. In the course of 30 minutes, three vessels of the group dropped out and headed for the bay east of missar Island (N 59-30, E 24-25), where they encountered four vessels of a similar type.

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